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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: : GROUP ART UNIT: 1615
MYRIAM MELLUL ET AL :
SERIAL NO.: 09/987,885 : EXAMINER: VENKAT
FILED: NOVEMBER 16, 2001 :
FOR: ANHYDROUS AND WATER-RESISTANT COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS

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AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the Official Action dated January 24, 2003, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following remarks and attached Declarations.

REMARKS

Attached hereto are Reissue Declarations for this case. As the Examiner will note, one co-inventor signed one of the Declarations, and the three other co-inventors signed the other Declaration. Both Declarations list all co-inventors.

The Examiner is requested to confirm receipt of an IDS prior to the allowance of this